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HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION 451

By Bittle

A RESOLUTION To commend Bryn Frances Laiolo for exemplary service as a legislative intern.

WHEREAS, Each legislative session this body is pleased to recognize certain persons who have committed themselves, through their adroit service, to the betterment of the legislative process; and

WHEREAS, Bryn Laiolo is one such individual who has distinguished herself in her role as a legislative intern for Representative H.E. Bittle and Representative Jamie Hagood; Bryn's work has resulted in innumerable benefits for the legislators she assisted and the General Assembly as a whole; and

WHEREAS, A student at the University of Tennessee at Knoxville, where she is highly regarded by her peers, Bryn has achieved academic success while participating in numerous extracurricular activities; and

WHEREAS, Pursuing a degree in Psychology and Sociology with a minor in Political Science, Bryn maintains an exemplary 3.8 grade point average and is a member of Gamma Beta Phi National Honor Society; she is the recipient of the prestigious Carl O. Koella Memorial Scholarship; and

WHEREAS, Bryn is the daughter of proud parents, Tony and Jane Regnier Laiolo, and has one younger sister, Cara Laiolo, who Bryn has tormented for years; her grandfather, Barney Laiolo served with distinction as the Mayor of Carmel, California for two terms; and

WHEREAS, Eager to familiarize herself with the characteristics and complexity of Tennessee state government and to further her studies, Bryn Laiolo brought her many abilities and singular expertise to Capitol Hill for the 2001 session of the One Hundred Second General Assembly; and

WHEREAS, During her illustrious tenure with the General Assembly, Bryn has earned the designation of Master of Graduation Certificates, and she has also acquired 10 extremely sore fingers thanks to her entry of water quality data for each and every mile of waterway in Tennessee, which is a lot of miles; and

WHEREAS, An avid fan of *ER* and a true connoisseur of crossword puzzles, Bryn loves animals and is the happy companion of 6 cats, Yoda, Annabelle, Happy, Baby, Angel and Indian and 2 dogs, Oscar and Rudy; she also loves to bake, but, oddly, she hates to cook; and

WHEREAS, Bryn is also inordinately fond of movies, shopping, hiking, painting her nails, and driving with the windows rolled down; however, she does not paint her nails while driving, at least not on a regular basis; and

WHEREAS, Truly stricken with wanderlust, Bryn enjoys transferring schools each and every year, having previously attended Appalachian State University and Middle Tennessee State University before alighting, at least for the moment, at UT-K; and

WHEREAS, Throughout the 2001 legislative session, Bryn has surpassed all criteria that define a devoted and conscientious legislative intern; and

WHEREAS, This exceptional young lady has demonstrated a wonderful personality and terrific sense of humor throughout her internship, and she has been described by her colleagues as "witty and intelligent"; and

WHEREAS, Bryn Laiolo has performed her many duties with extraordinary insight and rare decorum; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE ONE HUNDRED SECOND GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE SENATE CONCURRING, That we hereby commend Bryn Frances Laiolo for outstanding service as a legislative intern for Representative H.E. Bittle and Representative Jamie Hagood and extend to her our best wishes for every future success.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy.